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U Student Group Tells National Unit to Sever Ties With CIA

The University of Minnesota's Student association Wednesday adopted a resolution calling for the National Student association to sever any affiliated campuses.

remaining bonds with the central intelligence agency.

Ramparts magazine earlier reported that the CIA had used the NSA, with its international student contacts, as a tool of foreign diplomacy and as a junior cloak-and-dagger web to gather anti-Communist intelligence abroad.

The magazine also reported the CIA funneled hundreds of thousands of dollars a year to NSA and provided draft deferments to staff members.

Bill Newell, executive committee member of the Campus student association, quoted the resolution as also calling for the NSA offices to be removed from Washington.

The resolution also said, "We deplore the apparently cooperative relationship

which has existed between NSA and the CIA as inconsistent with the goals of an independent national union of students."